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Warm Weather Clothing.

Now is the time to buy your light weight clothing. We are showing everything that goes to make man feel comfortable.

Linen Suits.

We are showing the greatest line of Linen Suits in the city, thoroughly shrunk and perfect in fit and make, all shades and grades at $4.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

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Men's and Boys' Straw and Crash Hats and Caps in endless variety, from cheapest to finest, all the latest styles. Take a look at them.

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Extra good values in Men's Underwear. Plain and fancy Balbriggan, also Scrivens Pants, Drawers, all sizes, values 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.

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Get Some Notions.

Hooks and Eyes 5c.
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Thread 4c
Whale Bones 10c dozen.
Whale Bone Casing 15c bolt.
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Ladies' Hose all kinds,
Children's Hose, anything you want.
Infants' Hose, a good assortment.
Plush Balls, 10c a dozen.
Embroidery Silk on spools 1c,
Belding's Embroidery Silk, 3 skeins 10c.
Finishing Braid, good assortment.

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Ladies' Garters 25c.
Children's Garters 15c.
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Tape Measures 5c.
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Turkish Bath Soap 5c.
Skin Soap 5c.
Men's Socks at 5c.
Men's Socks at 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c.
Children's Vests, all prices.
Ladies' Vests 5c.
Zephyrs 5c per ounce.
Towels at 5c.
Towels by the yard.

Parasol Sale.

Now is when you want them and when you glance down this list and see our prices, you will know where to buy them. The Ladies' Bazaar will place on sale

Saturday,

As fine a line of Ladies' and Children's Parasols as were ever displayed in Portsmouth.

Children's Parasols, good size, and in any color, 23c.

Larger size in same grades and shades at 35c and 39c.

And still a larger size in solid silk at 75c and 98c.

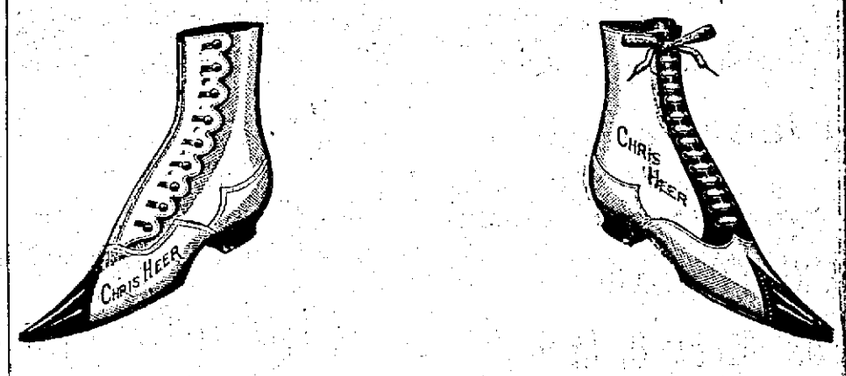
Ladies' Plaid Parasols in beautiful combinations of colors will be sold in this special sale at $1 50, $1.75, $1.98 and $2.25.

These prices are for Saturday only and remember you will have all sizes, colors and shapes to select from.

Ladies' Bazaar.

C. & R. McCauley.

407 Chillicothe St.



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$1.50 SHOES

FOR LADIES.

Made up in either Black or colors and with or without cloth tops. These shoes have all the style of shoes much higher in price and are splendid fitters. In Black Dongola Kid we can give you either button or lace in coin, opera or plain common sense toes. The colored shoes are all made in Lace, with or without cloth tops just as you prefer and are made up on the latest style lasts. These are "Home Made" Shoes, having been made by The Heer Shoe Co., and are the best values for the money to be found in Portsmouth. Try a pair of them and you will be well pleased.

ANDERSON BROTHERS,

Home Factory Shoe Stores,

109 West Second St. 603 Chillicothe St.

MAGNIFICENT

Outburst of Patriotic Enthusiasm at Cincinnati.

The Old City Blossomed All Over With Flags and Gay Bunting.

And Gave Itself Up to a Thorough Enjoyment of the Stupendous Parade—Mock Battle Tonight.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cincinnati, May 21.—In a magnificent outburst of patriotic enthusiasm over Dewey's victory at Manila, this city today blossomed all over with flags and bunting, shut all shops and business houses at mid-day, and with an unprecedented noise of whistles, horns, bells and fire-works, gave itself up to the enjoyment of the stupendous parade. At night a mock presentation of Dewey at Manila will be given on the Ohio river, in which the fort of Cavite will be demolished and the Spanish squadron sunk and destroyed.

THREE FIREMEN

Buried Alive in the Ruins of Burned Buildings at Toledo.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Toledo, May 21.—Three firemen were buried in the debris of the walls of the Dow-Snell fire. Herman Bishop was rescued this afternoon alive and will recover. Kaiser Tripinsik and O. S. Wills are still in the ruins. The voice of one can be heard. The loss on stock and buildings is $300,000. The Blade will be able to resume form its own office Monday.

The Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Wheat, $1.60; corn, 35½; oats, 30⅛.
Toledo.—Wheat, $1.53.
Cincinnati.—Eggs, 9.

Army Movements.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New Orleans, May 21.—The Twenty-third and Eighteenth Infantry will not get started to San Francisco before Monday. The Fifth Cavalry goes to Mobile tomorrow by transport.

POISONED

By Eating Strawberries and Cream Were Chillicothe People.

A Chillicothe special in today's Enquirer states that Cashier John Tomlinson, wife and sons, Charles and Robert, Miss Jane Winn, teacher of science in the High school, Nelson Purdum, county commissioner, and others were poisoned by eating some strawberries and cream at a hotel. They are in a critical condition, Charles Tomlinson being very seriously sick. The parties mentioned above are known here. The Tomlinsons are related to Misses Sue and Sallie Reed, of West Second street.

MERCILESS WHEELS

Of a Missouri Pacific Train Crushed and Mangled Poor Joe Emmett.

News came from St. Louis this afternoon that poor Joe Emmett, whose death is mentioned briefly in another part of the Times came to his end through an accident. He was ground to pieces beneath the wheels of a train.

The accident as near as could be learned occurred in the Missouri Pacific yards. He was attempting to board a fast train when he missed his footing and was thrown under the merciless wheel and ground to pieces. The remains will arrive here tomorrow on the B. & O. S. W.

Sunday C. P. & V. Trains.

Sunday June 5th the C. P. & V. will begin running the Sunday excursion trains from Portsmouth to Rarden for the benefit of those wishing to spend the day in camp.

Still Very Sore.

The thumb of David Tilton, which was badly chewed by the sprocket of a bicycle a few days ago, is still very sore and may keep him from the Excelsior Shoe factory, where he is employed, for several weeks.

Bed-room suits in mahogany, oak and birch, in handsome designs, cheap, at J. B. Nichols, Jr. & Bro.

Stahler Bros. are unloading two carloads of buggies and surreys this week.

QUIETLY ANNOUNCED

Was the Engagement of Miss Alwina Caden and Mr. John Jenkins.

The engagement of Miss Alwina Caden and Mr. John Jenkins has been quietly announced to the intimate friends of the couple. The marriage will take place about the middle of June. The happy couple will take up their residence in a handsome new home being built by Mr. Jenkins on Glover street. Miss Caden and Mr. Jenkins both have scores of warm friends who will wish them happiness. Miss Caden is the daughter of Mrs. A. Caden. She is a very charming young lady. Mr. Jenkins is in business with his brother, and he is one of the most successful of the city's young business men.

FRIGHTFUL RUNAWAY.

The Little Son of Geo. Edinger Dragged Several Squares.

The horse belonging to George Edinger, residing at 813 John street, became frightened last night and ran away.

The sole occupant of the buggy was Master Harry, aged eight years, son of Mr. Edinger.

The buggy was upset and young Edinger was caught in the wreck and dragged from the first alley below John street, on Eighth, to between Gay and Findlay, where the runaway was stopped.

The lad was still conscious, but bleeding profusely from the ears, mouth and frightful gashes in the head. He was carried home and Drs. McKerrihan and Vernier summoned. They rendered the medical assistance necessary. Today he is still conscious, but his condition precarious. It is doubtful if he recovers.

Will Spend the Summer Here.

Miss Ethel Cotton, who has been a popular and very successful instructor in the High school at Warsaw, N. Y., for the past two years, has resigned her position, not accepting the offer for next year. Soon after this term closes she will come home to spend the summer.

Broke an Axle.

A wagon owned by Mr. Sheets, of the West End, loaded with paving brick, attempted to cross the street car track near court street, when the axle broke and the wheel fell off, letting the load fall to the ground.

Junior Epworth League Picnic.

The members of the Junior League of Sixth Street M. E. church are enjoying an outing this afternoon. They are picknicking near New Boston, going out on the electric cars and taking their lunch with them.

Gone to Indianapolis.

Mrs. E. T. Herzog left today with her little son and daughter for Indianapolis. They will spend a few days in Cincinnati.

A Living Advertisement.

T. A. Dean, advertising manager for this paper, is right to the front with the bran new baby boy at his house. He has named him Dewey Dean, after Admiral Dewey, of Manila fame.

The Party Known.

The party who picked up the garden hose at the corner of Gay and Twelfth streets two weeks ago, belonging to Hon. Dan McFarland, is known. To save trouble he'd better communicate with Mr. McFarland.

Queen Esther Circle.

The Queen Esther circle of Bigelow M. E. church will hold a meeting Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Misses Hattie and Dee Marquette, on West Fourth street.

Gifts from Her Grandmother.

Miss Lenora McNamara, daughter of John McNamara, of Gallia avenue, is in receipt of several fine dresses, birthday gifts from her grandmother at Elmira, N. Y.

The Wake Is Off.

Fred Higley's buggy nag broke out of the stable the other night. It filled up on green stuff and came near dying. Higley's knowledge of the veterinary's medicines saved the animal.

To Join Her Husband.

Mrs. Rosa McCauley Ortseifer will leave in the morning for Huntington, W. Va., to join her husband, Mr. Ben Ortseifer. They will go to housekeeping immediately.

The Dainty Soda Parlor on Chillicothe street, near Connolley's, will deliver ice cream in any quantity to any part of the city.

Spring Suits at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

IN TWO WEEKS

The Entire Volunteer Army Will Be Equipped.

Troop Train Wrecked Near Camp Thomas and One Man Killed.

While a Dozen Others Were Badly Hurt—Number of Fine Horses Also Killed.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chattanooga, May 21.—Indications now are that the entire army will be equipped during the next two weeks. Gen. Brooke is pursuing business-like methods. Regimental chaplains have started the fight against saloons of "canteens," as they are called, established in a number of regiments. The army now numbers 35,000. The first army corps has been organized and first division of the third corps.

FIVE PRIVATES

Of a Missouri Regiment Killed in a Collision Near Camp Thomas.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chattanooga, May 21.—A train conveying the First Missouri Infantry to the park collided with a regular passenger train near Rossville Station.

One is dead and two were fatally injured in the First Missouri wreck. The killed was Geo. Walker, Company D; fatally injured, Alfred McLane, Private Harvard Barlaski. Lieutenant E. R. Richards was cut about the arms and shoulders. Many others were painfully, but not fatally injured. The men hurt were all in the horse car. All the horses of the officers were killed. The car struck was in the rear of the train.

THE MONTSERRAT

Escaped the Blockaders and Reaches Spain in Safety.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Corunna, Spain, May 21.—The auxiliary cruiser Montserrat arrived unexpectedly from Cienfuegos, having escaped the American blockading ships. The people were overjoyed and embraced the captain and other officers of the steamer. The steamer will have guns mounted.

Ordered to Return.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Aden, May 21.—The Spanish steamer Salustregui, from Barcelona to Manila, has been ordered to return to Suez.

RAPIDLY

The Work of Mustering in the Volunteers Is Progressing.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, May 21.—One hundred and three thousand troops are now mustered in under the President's call. It is expected that the entire 125,000 will be mustered in in a few days. Recruiting to raise the regular army to 60,000 is progressing and much work has been done toward organizing the immune regiments authorized by the law.

Spanish Fleet.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Madrid, May 21.—Admiral Camara has returned to Cadiz. It is said he will sail with a fleet under sealed orders.

The name of the manufacturer on every package of paint sold by Fisher & Streich.

Edw. E. Coriell, Jeweler, 412 Chillicothe street.

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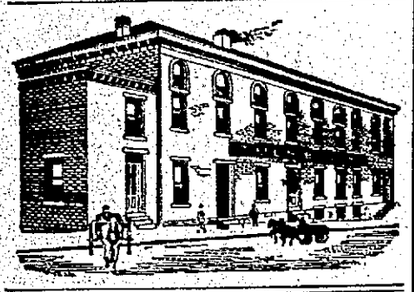

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Cor. Chillicothe and Front.

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By carrier, four weeks	25
By carrier, one week	06
By carrier, daily	01
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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

Hanna will be chairman of the Hanna convention to be held at Columbus June 21st and 22d. The Forakerites will be muzzled and probably chained on the outside to prevent any disturbance. Hanna wants harmony.

Friday's circulation of the Daily Times was as follows:

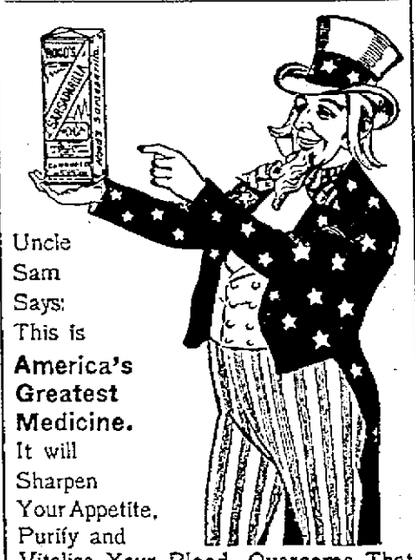
Delivered by carriers	1913
Delivered from office	25
Delivered by mail	183
Total	2121

This is a steady and healthy growth. Its news columns are always up to date and accurate. No important item of news escapes the alert and vigilant local reporters and the Associate Press reports have all the news of both hemispheres. In the columns of the Times you can find all the news of the world in concise and accurate form. There is no better time than now to add your name to the Times list of subscribers. The Times has no competition in Portsmouth. The best information attainable places the actual paying list of the Blade at less than 800. This shows that it pays in newspaper business to attend to the paper you have, rather than use up your energy and funds in tacking on Adams county "tax-eaters" as a caudal appendage. Had the Blade managers attended to running the Blade and let the people run the respective political parties, the old rotten hulk might have been rebottomed. But when a gang attempts to run everything, from a notorious dive to the court of justice, the people rebel. Even the officials will refuse to be the tools of such men and sooner or later denounce and repudiate them. Retribution will overtake them, and the men whom they have persecuted and villified will yet see these scoundrels driven from power. Justice will yet reach the guilty and the innocent will be protected against the prosecutions inspired and aided by this gang of outlaws. The fight is now on among themselves, and each is blaming the other for the rapid and astounding collapse of this fraudulent combination of political spoilsmen. The people are just, and the Times can never repay them for their patronage and fair treatment.

Wouldn't it be awful if the "corrupt, sneaking, tool-of-the-gang" courts were to take another fall out of Pat? It is just about a year since he played a solitaire game of checkers, with his nose, and these things sometimes go by periods and cycles. Perhaps he is due for another cooling off. —Blade.

Why did such a thing suggest itself to the Blade reporter? We are not alone in the belief that there is a combination of gangsters seeking to ruin us, and were it not that their records for crime, perjury and hypocrisy smells to heaven, they might be able to accomplish it. Their plotting has only strengthened us with the people. Our fight to maintain our rights and to stand firm in opposition to a supremacy of embezzlers, bank wreckers, dive-keepers, tax-dodgers and spoilsmen has won for the Times a support of which any paper may well be proud. The difficulty which furnished the pretext for the article in yesterday's Blade, of which the clipping forms the conclusion, was falsely represented in almost every particular. As against Mr. Bright, we have nothing to say. When sober he knows how to be a gentleman. He is a victim of rum. We have protested against his drinking, pleaded with him in vain. Time and again we have borne his abuse when intoxicated. No man knows better than Bright that he never had a better friend than we have been to him. In his sober moments he has repeatedly said so and promised never to touch rum again, but that promise was always broken. We deeply regret that such is the case. The absurdity of the charge is such as would lead anyone to believe that "tax-dodger" Dever inspired it. Had Bright been entirely sober, no difficulty would have occurred. It was the small amount of rum then in him that prompted him to come to our office with a determination to give us a trouncing. It urged him on with vile abuse and threatening attitude until we were forced to fling him upon the side-walk. Having imbibed more freely, and prompted by the rum in him, he sought legal advise. Several reputable attorneys advised him to go home and sober up, and not until in a maudlin condition he struck the "tax-dodger" was he able to find an attorney so contemptible as to do business for a man so intoxicated that Dever had to assist him to the justice's court. The clipping suggests the true condition of affairs, and Sister Hard, on Second street, near the Elk building, not long since proposed to a business man that $500 be raised to pay the expenses of prosecuting us at every opportunity that offered. The gentleman informed him that he would settle his own matters with us by giving us a thumping if necessary, when Sister Hard said, "Why thirteen persons have assaulted him and he has not suffered a scratch or a pain." In the face of such facts as have developed in the past few months, it is no wonder that even personal and political enemies encourage us and hope to see us utterly rout this entire combination of tax-dodgers, tax-eaters, embezzlers, perjurers, blackmailers and spoilsmen. Every suit that has been filed against us has been inspired by or originated in this combination of gangsters. Their contemptible methods by which they hope to force the Times into silence and into their service in robbing the people have utterly failed and confounded the conspirators. They have wasted their time and money in advertising us, and as they became more open and violent the greater the prosperity of the Times. Personally, it is unpleasant, but in a business sense it is a success. For Bright we have only sympathy and regret; for the great, pious ex-judge, Dever, we have nothing but contempt and disgust. The business men on Second street turned away in disgust when this great jurist lead this rum-soaked, helpless being to a justice's court to aid him in his damnable purpose.

The general and universal amnesty bill proposed in congress, and which passed the senate the other day by a unanimous vote, will probably be supplemented by a movement to return to the South the battle flags captured by Northern soldiers during the war for the Union. These flags are now carefully preserved in the capitols of the different states or by the organizations of veterans at their posts. Senator Foraker, who sounded a "fire alarm" on this quesiton some years ago, now says that "it would be a good thing at this time to return the Confederate battle flags." And the Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune has the following: "The time to give back the captured flags has come. Ohio wants no longer the trophies taken from her sister states so long ago. She would rather restore them once more into the hands and the tender care of those who first bore them aloft as a token of love for her sister commonwealths, whose defeat in war has long since been turned into a victory of peace and plenty."



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50 Dozen Men's Colored Shirts 37½ Cents Each.

Regular value 50c and 65c. These shirts are nicely laundered and come in six good patterns. See our window display this week.

Men's Brown Balbriggan Underwear, 35c Suit

We have only a limited quantity of this underwear, some 25 dozen suits, and will not be able to duplicate at the price. These garments were made to sell for 65c a suit, our price while they last 35c.

Ladies' Short Sleeved Balbriggan Vests, 3 1-2c each.

Full sized, well made, and serviceable, worth three times the price.

CONNOLLEY'S STORE.

It is proposed that at the annual meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic in Cincinnati in September the necessary arrangements be made for a general return of the Southern battle flags. The Spanish prediction that war with Spain would be followed by a sectional warfare in the United States does not appear to pan out very well.

South Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. S. Dunn were the guests of their son, A. G. Dunn, of Portsmouth, Monday.

The Watts proderty, on Railroad street, purchased recently by W. E. Tripp, is now one of the neatest residences in town, having been painted and repaired by him.

Geo. Cullum & Co. are building a new residence on Wood street for Jno. W. Cole.

Edward McCowen was the guest of M. H. Shumway, of Protsmouth, last week.

Quite a number of our people attended the baptizing, which was performed at Bloom Switch Sunday by Rev. S. S. Denny.

Mrs. Henry Havener was in Portsmouth early this week.

Will Hanes is building an addition to his house.

Dr. James Ray was in our burg Monday.

One of our young men, a mechanic, will be married next week to a charming young lady of Lilly. Cards are out. Success to you, John.

Levi Allen's new house will soon be ready for occupancy. It is a fine dwelling on Jackson street.

South Webster can boast of more improvements and a more industrial condition than it has enjoyed for years. Any little town of five hundred or less will have to get up and hustle if they beat the metropolis of old Bloom.

Best wishes for the Times.

PHILOMATHES.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammations can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Mr. Fred. Meyer, foreman of the Bass Foundry, 198 East DeWald Street, Fort Wayne, Ind., says: "I was so badly crippled with rheumatism that I could not get around without crutches. Could not get relief anywhere. Had become desperate, and thought I was to be a cripple for life. I began using Munyon's Rheumatism Cure, and on the second day was able to walk without crutches, and in a few days was able to return to my work. I have been completely cured and have no return of the disease. I have also used Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure with equally beneficial results."

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For 14 years this shoe, by merit alone, has distanced all competitors.

W. L. Douglas $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 shoes are the productions of skilled workmen, from the best material possible at these prices. Also $2.50 and $2.00 shoes for men, $2.50, $2.00 and $1.75 for boys and youths.

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CHANGE

Made in the Date of the Dewey Celebration.

It Will Now Be Held Monday Evening, May 30th at the Opera House—The Program.

The Dewey Day committee met last evening at the mayor's office, and after considerable discussion of the subject, it was thought best to go back to the original idea of having an evening meeting only, and that meeting to be held at the opera house on Monday evening. The reports of committees showed that the retail stores and some of the factories were opposed to closing on Saturday, and as Monday was Memorial day and everything was expected to close on that day, the change was thought best.

Last evening's meeting was called to order by Mayor Glidden. Mr. F. L. Marting, chairman of committee on retail merchants, having another engagement, was permitted to make his report at once. He said his committee had canvassed the business portion of the city and only five of the retail merchants would agree to close. He thought the idea of closing stores would have to be abandoned. Other committeees were then called on for reports.

The committee on transportation reported a rate on all roads of one fare for the round trip.

The committee on organization reported progress. Several of the organizations had been seen and were willing to turn out.

At this point the business was supsended for a few minutes on account of an entertainment given by some hobo in the cooler. His heroic attempts at singing were great.

When business was resumed, the mayor submitted the proposition of the policy of going ahead with the proposed celebration on the large scale now contemplated, when so many of the people were opposed to it; that many of those who were apparently anxious for it at the start were now opposed to it.

Rev. Robjent thought we ought to go ahead by all means. To stop now would make us the laughing-stock of other cities, and at a meeting of citizens resolutions were adopted to have such a celebration and an executive committee was appointed to carry out the project, and he doubted the rights of the committee to abandon the idea altogether. He thought there were enough loyal people in the city and county to make it a success, regardless of opposition.

W. L. Questel made a motion to abandon it entirely.

Rev. Robjent claimed the motion was out of order; that the committee had no power to abandon.

Prof. Thomas Vickers said the outlook for a great parade and general celebration was very discouraging. There was very little enthusiasm. He was willing to go ahead, but he doubted making a success of it. He was of the opinion in the outstart, and he was still of the opinion, that the celebration of Dewey's victory should be held on Memorial day. If the stores were not going to close or the factories to shut down on Saturday, the demonstration would certainly be small. He said, "Why not make it on Memorial day and make it one of the greatest parades ever given in the city on that day?"

Dr. Davidson thought the arrangements, as proposed, should be carried out.

At this point a general discussion was had as to the policy of combining the celebration with Memorial day. Some one then made a motion that the parade be abandoned and an evening meeting, as was first contemplated, be held at the opera house Saturday evening, May 28th. An amendment was offered to make the motion read Monday evening, May 30th.

In the discussion of this subject, Prof. Vickers said the High School Glee club would sing for the evening meeting. The Dewey Quintet thought they were not prepared to appear before an audience. He said, "I am astonished that any one should object to celebrating the victory of an army on Memorial day. The band that leads the funeral procession to the grave playing the dead march, always returns with "Yankee Doodle," "Marching Through Georgia," or some other patriotic tune." Personally, he did not care whether it was held on Saturday evening or on Monday evening. It was finally settled to abandon the parade and a general mass meeting be held at the opera house Monday evening, May 30th, at 7:30 o'clock.

The following committees were held and are expected to do the work necessary for the success of this meeting: Finance, decoration, music, speakers and press. The same executive committee will have charge of the meeting.

The chairman of each of these committees was requested to proceed with the work and endeavor to make this meeting a success.

After the adjournment of the committee, the committee on Volunteer Reserves met and an hour or more was spent in discussing features of this movement.

Center tables and rockers in the very latest finish and bought so they can be sold cheap.

J. B. NICHOLS, JR. & BRO.

"THERE IS SORROW ON THE SEA."

[FOR THE TIMES.]

There is sorrow on the sea,
There is weeping on the shore.
There's a cry of pain and anguish,
Heard above the breakers' roar,
For a gallant ship has vanished,
And her sailors young and brave,
Went down to swift and sudden death,
Beneath the treacherous wave.

Not in the storm of battle,
Did these ocean warriors die,
Where the welcome shout of victory,
Might fire the fading eye,
But the cruel hand of murder,
More cruel than the grave,
Wrought the dastard deed upon that ship,
And on her sleeping brave.

There is sorrow on the sea,
There is weeping on the shore,
But another awful sound is heard
Above the ocean's roar.
'Tis the cry of a great nation,
A cry of rage and pain,
That calls for vengeance swift and sure,
For vengeance for the Maine.

The giant has awakened
And stretched his mighty hand,
And the warlike tread of soldiers
Is heard o'er all the land,
And martial music sounds above
The hosts, by heroes led,
Not a requiem, but a battle-cry,
In honor of the dead.

And on the sea will sorrow be;
Speak out, ye iron throats
Of every grand old battle ship,
On which our banner floats!
Avenge the Maine! but let it be
In battle's stern array,
Like that which Dewey led so well,
In far Manila bay.

The ocean heroes slumber,
In their calm and dreamless sleep,
But their country in its heart of hearts,
Their memory green will keep.
They perished not in vain, beside
That island in the sea,
And death has made their lives sublime
For Cuba shall be free.

G. O. N.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Sixth Street M. E.

Services tomorrow (Sunday) as follows: Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; morning service at 10:30; Junior league at 2; Epworth league at 6; people's service at 7. Rev. D. J. Smith, of Ironton, will preach morning and evening, his subjects being: Morning, "God's Reserve of Goodness." Evening, "Dangers of Preconception." Everybody welcome.

Bigelow M. E.

Corner Washington and Fifth streets, M. W. Acton, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; class meeting at 2 p. m.; league at 6 p. m. Morning topic, "Manifestations of the Christ Spirit In Conversation." Evening topic, "A King's Advice to His Son."

First Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian church, southwest corner of Third and Court streets, Rev. D. S. Tappan, D. D., pastor; Dr. C. P. Dennis, Sunday school superintendent. Sabbath school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Death Upon the Border of the Promised Land." Evening, "A Glory Greater Than Solomon's." Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Mid-week prayer-meeting on Wednesday, at 7 p. m. Strangers in the city over Sabbath and all who have no church home elsewhere are assured of a cordial welcome.

German Presbyterian.

Corner Seventh and Chillicothe streets, J. A. Toensmeier, pastor. Sunday school at 8:30 a. m., Mr. Adam Young, superintendent. Junior Endeavor at 12:30 p. m.; Senior Endeavor at 6 p. m., Miss Ella Bihlman, leader. German service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Christ's Ascension." English service at 7 p. m. Subject, "An Exhortation Not To Be Worried About Worldly Things." All are cordially invited.

All Saints Episcopal.

Court and Fourth streets. Sunday after Ascension Day. Holy communion at 7. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Subject, "Fervent Charity." Service of music. Te Deum, (Herron in E flat;) anthem: "Ye Men of Galillee" (Lewis); Evensong anthem, "O, Lord, My God" (Malan). All seats are free at the evening service. This service will be a people's service. There are free seats for visitors at every service. Everybody welcome.

Christian.

Corner Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.; Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.; regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Workers Together With God." Evening subject, "The Thirsty Call." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

United Brethren.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.; morning service at 10:30. Subject, Ruth's Devotion." Y. P. C. U. at 6 p. m.; evening service at 7 p. m. Subject, "The Land of Light." You are cordially invited. Rev. J. E. Comer, pastor.

First Congregational Church.

Findlay street, between Ninth and Tenth. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 p. m.; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6 p. m. There will be no church service in the morning. Regular service in the evening at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Contesting For the Great Prizes."

Allen Chapel, A. M. E.

Sunday school at 9 a. m., J. H. Scott, superintendent Preaching by the pastor, Rev. P. Tolliver, at 10:30. Classes at 12 m. and 2:30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor prayer-meeting at 6 p. m.; preaching at 7 p. m. by the pastor. All are cordially invited to attend the services. Seats free. Special music by the Junior choir at the evening service.

Findlay Street M. E.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; preaching by Rev. Pennington at 11 a. m.; class meeting at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth league at 7 p. m.; preaching by the pastor at 7:45. Subject, "Judgment, And Who Will Be Ready." Every one should hear this sermon and make ready. Come. J. W. White, pastor.

If Money Grew on Trees

And Everybody Owned an Orchard

It would not make any difference how it was spent. Being as it is, however, it makes an "all fired" lot of difference whether you spend it wisely or otherwisely.

You Are Interested

In buying to the best advantage, of course. Well then, just a little of your attention, your good judgment will do the rest. This ad. is an invitation to you to come and see us and is intended to interest those who buy somewhere else.

It is Our Honest Belief

That the men who buy their clothing of us this spring will be better dressed than they ever were in their lives for the money. Our new goods are in and we can see a great improvement over last year—better cloth, handsomer patterns, finer linings and better workmanship.

Spring Suits.

We are showing an $8.00 suit fully equal to any $10 suit shown this year. Our $10 and $12.50 suits are marvels of the clothiers art and matchless at the price. Cheviots, Cassimeres and Worsteds at $5.00 and $7.50.

Ben Davis

One Price Clothier. **127 West Second St.**

THROUGH AN AWNING

John Bush Takes a Tumble That Would Have Killed Anybody Else.

John Bush is quite a high diver. At least he could succeed in that line of business if he'd put his mind and spare time to it.

He is employed by Jacob Massa as a painter. Yesterday afternoon he was painting Linck's barber shop on Gallia avenue, when he lost his balance on the ladder and took a dive. He went through Mr. Linck's awning, making a hole in it as large as the discharge from a gatling gun. He struck the sidewalk hard. Eye witnesses thought it would kill him, but instead he picked himself up, announced that he was not hurt, and smiled when he gazed on the damage he had done to the sidewalk.

Cheap Paint.

Is like all other cheap things—of little value, costing more in the end than a good article. Use H. W. Johns' liquid paint and get honest return for your money.

16-6t FISHER & STREICH.

A Splendid Program.

The Young Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of Bigelow M. E. church will meet Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, at the home of Miss Effie Fowler. The program for the evening, in addition to routine business will be: Duet, mandolin and piano, Miss Grace Andres and Miss Fowler; reading by Miss Dora Carsey; flute solo by Mrs. Myrtle Hull; recitation by Miss Mary Holland; trio, mandolins and guitar, Misses Mayme Brandel, Geneva Brandel, Grace Andres.

Stormer, Stearnes and Dayton bicycles—nobby line, at Stalher Bros.

Miss Duteil's Recital.

The recital by the pupils of Miss Effie Dutiel at the residence of Morris Bridwell, on East Third street, was well attended. Miss Duteil was assisted by Miss Coyle, of Wheelersburg. A program of rare excellence was rendered. The special feature was an old-fashioned spelling bee by a mixed quartette.

Spring Suits at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

A New Idea.

The Hotel Safford is doing an elegant business under the management of Hugh Smith. Next week he will introduce a new idea that will be appreciated by the traveling public. Patrons going away on early morning trains before breakfast will be served with a cup of coffee and luncheon free of charge.

Edw. E. Coriell, Jeweler, 412 Chillicothe street.

No Damage at All.

An alarm of fire from Box 61 called the fire department to the first house east of the Holy Redeemer church last evening. A chimney burned out.

Largest assortment of bed-room suits in the city at Fuller Bros.

We Can Please You

If you can be pleased by saving money on first class goods. We studied to please in a practical school and learned that to please customers we must profit them. That's our way of doing business. We make it pay to trade with us; we talk business in dollars and cents.

Our stock in Men's and Boys' Clothing is perfect in every respect.

In Children's Clothing we can show you a handsome assortment, all the latest styles.

Big bargains in Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Trunks and Valises. All goods warranted as represented or money refunded.

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WALL PAPER The largest stock and the latest figures, the lowest prices.

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GLASS AND PUTTY We carry a full stock of glass in all sizes and will put it in on short notice.

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209 Chillicothe Street, CHAS. F. DABOLD, Manager.

Still in the Business.

Just receiving a large invoice of Doors, Sash and Blinds.

Will be pleased to see our customers at

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WIN PURE, FRESH, CLEAN DRUGS. NYE

Corner Fourth and Chillicothe Streets, Portsmouth, Ohio.

FAST TIME

Made by Capt. Isaac Miller at the Fair Grounds

Friday Afternoon in a Race With John Eckhart—A Long Dispute Settled Satisfactorily.

Captain Isaac Miller drives a good horse—one that is a quick stepper, yet very few know it. John Eckhart is also the owner of what he and his friends think is a smooth goer. Mr. Eckhart had several times casually remarked to the Captain that he ought to drive a good horse, one that could go with some speed when he wanted to go any place in a hurry. A few days ago they met on Gallia street with their horses and Mr. Eckhart, who is very proud of his horse, was guying the Captain and telling him how many miles he could make while the Captain's horse was trotting along under the shade of some tree. The Captain grew tired of it and said to Mr. Eckhart:

"I have nothing but this old buggy to hitch my horse to, but you can hitch your horse to a light sulky and I will hitch to this buggy and trot you on the fair ground track for a half mile."

This was agreed to, and yesterday, with a lot of friends, the couple went to the track, selected judges and at the word go, the race was on. Captain Miller at this moment seemed to be driving a different horse, and he seemed as much at home holding a tight rein behind a fast horse as he used to be on the roof of a steamboat. For some distance around the track the horses were neck-and-neck, but as they came down the home stretch the wheels of the old buggy were spinning around at a lively rate and the Captain and his horse came under the string several lengths ahead at a speed of 1:45. Mr. Eckhart said he suspected there was "a good-sized colored man in the wood-pile" when he saw the Captain tighten everything loose about the buggy, hang his coat on a fence post and pull an old skull cap out of his pocket. He has learned it is policy to keep quiet about horses that you do not know about, as they sometimes deceive their looks.

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

Of Green Township, Showing the Taxable Personal Property.

James Stewart, assessor of Green township, reported today, showing the following taxable personal property: 350 horses, valued at $14,267; 681 cattle, valued at $10,023; 87 mules, valued at $3,465; 46 sheep, valued at $109; 545 hogs, valued at $1,766; 105 dogs, no value given; total valuation of taxable personal property, $109,095.

RIVER NEWS.

River 26 feet, 6 inches and rising slowly.

There was 17-100 of an inch rainfall last night.

Lizzie Bay up this morning. Stanley down Sunday morning. Bonanza and Queen City up Sunday morning.

May Be Others Here.

Frank Cox, 13 year old son of B. & O. S. W. conductor Charles Cox, was run over by an N. & W. freight at Chillicothe yesterday afternoon and his left leg severed below the knee. He was stealing a ride. A large number of boys have been doing the same thing here and an accident may be looked for soon.

His Fingers All Right.

Yardmaster Geiger, of the B. & O. S-W. railroad yards, who sustained a mashed hand a few days ago, will not lose the use of his fingers, as at first supposed.

New C. P. & V. Time Card.

A new time card goes into effect on the C. P. & V. tomorrow. By it trains leave Portsmouth at 6 o'clock and 2 o'clock and leave Cincinnati at 8 o'clock and 5 o'clock.

To Entertain Her Friends.

Little Miss Bessie Dachler will entertain her small friends at her home on East Eighth street next Tuesday afternoon.

The Troubles Continue.

H. A. Lorberg, circulation manager of the Daily News, was asked at 3 o'clock how many subscribers he had. He replied, "Between two and many—a man, a lady and a little boy." And the troubles of the News continue.

Fine luxurious couches, new paterns, just arrived at Fuller Bros.

Visiting an Old Friend.

John Brown, the contractor, is spending a few days in Cincinnati the guest of Theodore Veelmann, of Walnut street.

Turtle soup at Findeis' tonight.

His Friends Alarmed.

Yardmaster Shook, of the N. & W. railroad, is a very sick man. His friends are alarmed at his condition

Garden hose and all equipments at bottom prices, at Stahler Bros.

PERSONAL.

Miss Antoinette V. Cline spent yesterday and today in Columbus.

Mrs. M. A. Marquette left yesterday for Cincinnati to visit her son.

Charles A. Goddard, Sr., member of board of public works, was in the city today.

William White, who has been spending several days here, has gone to Cincinnati with his family.

W. A. Blewer, wife and daughter, of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mrs. C. B. Wearing, of 721 Chillicothe street.

Mr. Morris Colchinsky, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Silverglade, has returned to his home in Cincinnati.

Arthur L. Hamm, of W. A. McFarlin's office, went to Cincinnati today to take part in the Dewey Day celebration.

George Henneberger, representing the Central Lyceum lecture bureau, was in the city this morning, interviewing the lecture course committee of the Bigelow church.

Miss Alwina Caden left today for Cincinnati. She will remain in the city all next week, visiting friends and relatives and attending the musical festival.

PATENT FISH BAIT

And the Luck It Brought a First Ward Fisherman.

Bill Seifert, a famous First ward fisherman, recently went fishing and caught not a thing and thereby hangs a tale. It seems that Seifert recently saw an advertisement for "Yankee Bait," gotten up in an alluring manner. According to the Ad. all that was necessary was to buy Yankee Bait," cast in your line and fish would flock to the hook. Seifert sent a dollar for a can of bait and Thursday a-fishing went. He fished and fished and fished and only caught one small sucker. Bill is setting up cigars now on his patent bait.

OBITUARY.

SCHULER.

Esther Louise, the two-and-one-half-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schuler, nee Miss Sue Molster, died Friday afternoon at 2:45. She was a very bright child for her age and was a great favorite with the many friends of the parents. Death was caused by brain fever, in connection with stomach trouble, the child having been sick only two days. The funeral services have not yet been decided upon, but will probably take place Monday.

CLARK.

Susie, the three-months-old child of John Clark, died yesterday evening of inanition, after an illness of three days. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Porter, of New Boston, officiating.

AN EXPLANATION

Of an Ambiguous Sentence in an Article in Thursday's Times.

In the account of the difficulty between insurance agents Wilburn and Sullivan last Thursday, there was no intention on the part of the Times to reflect on either insurance company, or the Western-Southern company in particular. At one point a little ambiguity in the wording, where it spoke of Sullivan's argument that the Western-Southern company was on its last legs, might be construed as a reflection on that company. The idea meant to be conveyed was that Mr. Sullivan was using this argument or means to secure insurance. So far as the Times knows the Western-Southern company is financially responsible and as reliable as any other company doing business in Portsmouth.

A Trip East.

John G. Reilly left on the C. & O. this afternoon for a business trip East. He will stop off at Alderson a few days. He will then go on to Philadelphia and will be gone ten days.

The Saddle Found.

The saddle and blanket of Lafe Gifford, which disappeared the other day, has turned up in Dick Donaldson's house. Miss Donaldson, aged nine years, carried it home.

Up Kanawha Valley.

Jesse Allen, engineer of the C. & O. ferry-boat, accompanied by his wife, left yesterday for a short trip up the Kanawha valley. They have many friends in that vicinity.

That $39 top buggy is all the money. Call at Stahler Bros. and see it.

Union Meeting.

The Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor societies of the U. B. church will hold a union meeting Sunday evening at 6 p. m. Let all be present.

Wall-paper and carpets made new by using the Electric cleanser, sold by Fisher & Streich.

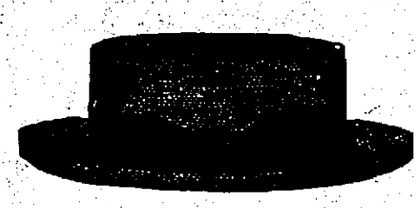
Important Meeting.

All the ladies of All Saints Episcopal church are urgently requested to meet at the chapel next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Business of great importance will be transacted.

Spring Suits at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

When Your Back Begins to Get Dewey

Then it is time to look for your summer wear. Whatever you need, whether it be clothing, underwear, straw hats or furnishing goods, you will find at the Big Store the largest selection, the best values in the city. Look in other lines for the goods we had last year, look in our line for novelties they will have next year.



Straw Hats.

We are showing this spring an elegant assortment of straw goods in all width rims and all height crowns, both in plain and fancy bands. You can get straws here at any price from 25c to $1.50.

We also have a large line of boys straws from 25c to $1.00, and children's sailors from 25c to 75c.

You should not fail to see our line of children's caps and tams at 25c each.

Underwear.

In this line we can distance all our competitors. We have splendid values, balbriggan and lace effects for 25c.

For 50c we have too many styles to mention, a few of which are plain and fancy balbriggans and beautiful effects, in all colors—flesh colored, pink, blues, browns, creams and random effects. We have also a line of boys' underwear for 25c.

For $1.00 and $1.50 you can get the celebrated "Bon bon" underwear in lisle thread, delicate shades of pink, blue, pink and white lace and striped. We have the best grade of imported French balbriggan, all sizes, $1.

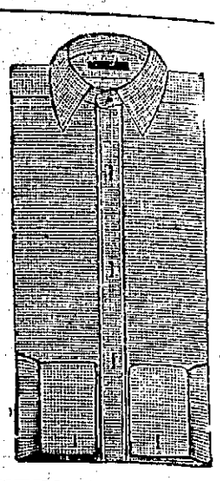
Extra.

By the time this ad. reaches you we will have placed on sale another lot of those popular "armed" soldier caps. Get your boy one for "Dewey Day" and let him be patriotic.

Sweaters.

We can not speak too highly of our line of sweaters and bike hose. They must be seen to be appreciated. We have just received an elegant lot of sweaters for men and boys to sell at $1.00. Ask to see them. Have you noticed our "lite wate" Jersey sweaters? If not call around and take a look at it. It's just what you have been looking for.

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.



A Cure for Dewey Backs

If our stock of negligee shirts. We have them in all styles, sizes and prices, from the large line of 50c goods to the "Manhattans." Have you seen our cellular] cloth shirt, the only thing of its kind in the city? All our better shirts are exclusive patterns and shades and can only be seen in our line.

See Our Windows For The NOVELTIES.

J. EISMAN & CO.,

121-123 West Second Street.

ENTERPRISING.

Mr. B. Augustin Has All His Property Repainted.

The wholesale grocery building of B. Augustin looms up spic and span today in a new dress of paint, which has just been put on by Williams and Dodge. Mr. Augustin has been giving all the property in the city owned by him a general overhauling. He has repainted, besides his wholesale grocery store room and dwelling on Offnere street, the Harris property, store room and dwelling corner Fifteenth and Findlay, and lastly his residence. Mr. Augustin always keeps his property in fine shape and they are ornaments to their respective localities.

Caught Beneath a Heavy Rock.

Frank Montogmery, of St. Paul, Ky., was brought to this city last evening with a badly mashed foot. He is employed in the stone quarries there and while hoisting the derrick a large stone slipped and fell, catching his right foot. Dr. Davidson dressed the injured member and Mr. Montgomery was taken back home.

The definition for economy in painting is not the saving of a few cents, but durability—covering capacity and satisfaction. Fisher & Streich have sold their paints for twenty-five years. 18-4t

Lawn Fete.

The ladies of the Free Will Baptist church will give a lawn fete Thursday evening, May 26th, on the church lawn, corner of Robinson and Hutchins avenues. All are cordially invited. Ice cream and cake, 10 cents.

Smoke "The Little Havana Queen" cigar. Three good five cent cigars for five cents, to introduce the brand. Sold only by Mrs. G. M. Wearing, 721 Chillicothe street.

A Coming Lawn Fete.

The ladies of All Saints Episcopal church are arranging to give a lawn fete at the residence of Mrs. Dudley B. Hutchins, on East Second street, in the near future.

Twenty-five years of experience is evidence enough that we have the best in mixed paints.

FISHER & STREICH.

A Fishing Trip.

Percy Wilhelm and T. W. Kinney left this afternoon for a fishing trip up the canal. Both are famous fishermen and a big catch is expected.

Our line of summer shirts and underwear is complete. Prices 50c, 75c and $1.00. Jones, the hatter, 104 West Second street.

Off for Cincinnati.

The C. & O. had fifty excursionists out for Cincinnati from this point today. The C. P. & V. also carried out a big crowd, all bound for the Dewey Day exercises.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 39 West Second street.

FOR RENT—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished at 15 West Fourth street.

WANTED—A young man, who has had experience, to take charge of a grocer's delivery wagon. Apply to Wes. Crabtree, East End home store, 1121 Lawson street.

FOR RENT—A furnished room for one or two gentlemen. 137 West Sixth street.

WANTED—To trade watch for bicycle. 128 West Fourth street.

FOR Rent—Furnished rooms at 128 West Fourth street.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, at 131 East Third street Call there or see C. E. Frowine, Harvard Place, City.

WANTED—Two good boys at the Portsmouth Veneer Co.

FOR SALE—Nice clean yellow poplar saw dust at the Portsmouth Veneer Works. 20 2

FOR SALE—A first class horse and surrey. Will be sold cheap Inquire at Lorey's livery stable on Third street. 20 1w

FOR SALE—Good, light, covered spring wagon. Will sell for $15. Neils, cor. Third and Market. 19 3t

FOR RENT—Rooms, 41 West Sixth street, near the Postoffice. Furnished or unfurnished. 19-4t

FOR RENT—That desirable cottage 26 West Second street. Possession given at once. Inquire on premises or see W. A. McFarlin, 111 Market street. 19-3

FOR RENT—Furnished front room at 624 John street. 14 3t

FOR RENT—A fine cow pasture within city limits. See Charles Winter.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework at 71 East Second street, Mrs. Jas. W. Newman. tf

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Warm Weather Comforters.

We are offering inducements in Underwear and Hosiery that are sure to win. Clean, fresh stock. Never were such qualities offered for the money.

Ladies' and Misses' Sleeveless Ribbed Vests 3c.

Ladies' Vests, ecru and white, taped neck, in sleeveless and half sleeves, usual 12½c quality, 9c.

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, ecru and White, sizes 3 to 9, the 15c kind, 12c.

All qualities Vests, including Lisle Thread and Silk.

Children's Swiss Ribbed Sleeveless Vests, 5c and upwards.

Children's Waists, 6 to 12, 15c.

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Men's Underwear in all styles and qualities.

OUR LEADER—Men's extra fine gauge Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, sold elsewhere at 35c, for 25c.

The most up-to-date, popular priced Shirts in the city. All styles exclusive. The prices do the business.

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We keep the Y. S. F. Brand of Hosiery in tans and blacks, all qualities and styles, 10c pair and upwards. Try a pair and make your feet glad.

Once a customer, always a customer with Y. S. F. Hosiery.

Home-spun and White Duck Skirts, regular 75c grade, 59c.

Shirt Waists 29c and upwards. All range of styles, (blouse fronts) 50c.

Magnificent line of Wash Fabrics, all the latest ideas.

Muslins and Calicoes, lowest prices in the city.

Profit and pleasure to be had trading with us.

We can always be depended upon for the right goods at the right prices.

We have increased our selling force and in the future can serve you promptly.

PURCELL & BRAGDON,

Bargain Givers of Portsmouth.

STRAWBERRIES.

Strawberries, Strawberries, ripe and red,
With the dew still on them, fresh from the bed;
Home-grown berries, awfully nice,
Selling too, at a modest price;
Every morning yon'll find them, new,
Sweet and rosy waiting for you

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You have only to make known your wants and you will be promptly supplied.

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Farewell to My Friends.

This being my last day in the grocery business in Portsmouth I desire to extend my heartfelt thanks to my friends, one and all, who have supported me during the several years I have been in the business. I leave the old stand wishing you all happiness and prosperity and most heartly recommend to you my successors Messers Wilhelm and Wertz. I would yet hesitate to part with the business and pleasant connection with you if I did not know these Gentlemen would serve you as faithfully as I have always endeavored to do. Again I thank you.

Yours Very Truly.

J. J. BRUSHART.

Faultless Footwear

We all take pride in wearing a nice up-to-date and perfect fitting shoe, and if you will compare the footwear we sell with others at the same price, you will readily realize that ours are better in material, workmanship and finish.

We aim to carry a full assortment of all the new and staple styles in Men's, Ladies', Boys' Youths', Misses' and Children's Shoes, and we are always pleased to show our goods, as every shoe speaks its own merit, but their superior quality will be realized in the wearing.

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See Me Quick.

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Eighth and Chillicothe.

Just Received

A large assortment of Baby Caps, which we will aell at a special low figure

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Call and see our line.

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709 Chillicothe Street.

RUBBERS AND SHOES
Repaired While You Wait.

Work called for and delivered. Satisfaction guaranteed. Jno. R. Baker agent for the house.

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Wright's Celery Tea regulates the liver and kidneys, cures constipation and sick headache. 25c at all druggists.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Thomas J. Basham to Edward Ruth, city, $600.

L. Cook to George Reynolds, 20 acres, $15.

J. S. Dodge and wife to Mary E. Crenshaw, city, $250.

J. S. Dodge to Wm. Dressler, city, $300.

D. B. Hucthins et al. to Lydia W. Selby, city, $2,684.

Isaac Hall to Ben Revare et al., city, $1,500.

James A. Maxwell to Henry Weghorst, city, $300.

John F. Morton to William Goltz, city, $1300.

Margaret Shelly to William Goltz, city, $900.

POSTPONED

Was the Case of Joseph Gibson, the Counterfeiter.

The case of Joseph Gibson, the counterfeiter, set for hearing at one o'clcok today, was postponed on account of the illness of one of the state's witnesses, Mrs. Emma Lantz, of Harrisonivlle, an important witness in the case. She sent a physician's certificate saying she was unable to ride to Portsmouth. Three cases of the same nature, which were set for hearing before the mayor, were disposed of in like manner. All four cases will probably be heard Monday. Deputy United States Marshal Heher, of Cincinnati, was in the city today, trying to persuade the officials to turn the prisoner over to the United States courts, but they would not agree to it.

A Ratty Item.

Both this morning and this afternoon there was a lively rat catching scene on Chillicothe street in front of John Gilgen's. Two dozen rats were put to eternal sleep in a dozen seconds by Lew Gilgen's rat terriers and New Foundland dog.

D. A. R. Meeting.

The Spencer Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Dudley B. Hutchins.

Hobos Captured.

The police captured a crowd of hobos in the N. & W. yards this afternoon. They were taken to the station house in the patrol.

Improving His Home.

A new veranda and other improvements are being added to the home of Captain Jake Brooker, of the West Seventh street fire department.

Screen doors and windows cheap at Stahler Bros.

Charming Footlight Favorite.

Pearl Revare, the actress, is home to spend the summer. She is a charming footlight favorite.

Choice trouserings at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Baseball Fans Who Have Been Hibernating Are Once More Happy.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Cin'ti...	18	5	.783	Phila ..	10	10	.500
Cleve...	16	9	.640	Chica...	11	13	.458
Balto...	13	8	.619	Brook ..	9	11	.450
Bost....	16	10	.615	St. L....	7	16	.304
N. Y....	14	9	.609	Louis...	7	19	.269
Pitts ...	13	13	.500	Wash...	6	17	.261

Cincinnati, 4; Boston, 5.

AT CINCINNATI— R. H. E.
Cincinnati ....0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2 0— 4 5 1
Boston .....0 1 0 0 2 2 0 0 0— 5 10 0
Batteries—Hill and Peitz; Willis and Bergen. Umpires—O'Day and McDonald.

Chicago, 1; Washington, 6.

AT CHICAGO— R. H. E.
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0— 1 5 4
Washington ..0 0 1 0 2 0 1 2 *— 6 10 3
Batteries—Kilroy and Donahue; Weyhing and McGuire. Umpires Lynch and Connolly.

New York, 2; St. Louis, 6.

AT ST. LOUIS— R. H. E.
St. Louis .....0 3 0 2 1 0 0 0 *— 6 8 2
New York ....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0— 2 6 2
Batteries—Esper and Clements; Meekin and Warner. Umpires — Swartwood and Wood.

Baltimore, 1; Pittsburg, 3.

AT BALTIMORE— R. H. E.
Baltimore ....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0— 1 3 2
Pittsburg .....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0— 3 4 1
Batteries—Nops, Pond and Clarke; Gardner and Schriver. Umpires—Emslie and Andrews.

Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 6.

AT CLEVELAND— R. H. E.
Cleveland .....2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0— 3 11 0
Philadelphia ..0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 2— 6 10 2
Batteries—Wilson and Crieger; Duggleby and McFarland. Umpires—Snyder and Curry.

Postponed.

At Louisville—Louisville-Brooklyn game postponed; rain.

Western League.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee-St. Paul game postponed; wet grounds.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 2; Omaha, 1.

At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Minneapolis, 4.

At Columbus — Columbus, 2; Kansas City, 3.

Interstate League.

At Newcastle—Newcastle, 4; Youngstown, 3.

At Dayton—Dayton, 9; Springfield, 5.

At Mansfield—Mansfield-Fort Wayne game postponed; rain.

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No man can cure consumption. You can prevent it though. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma. Never fails.

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Fight to maintain our position as leaders, always looking for the newest and best things to offer our customers, always careful to have our prices just as low and possibly a little lower than anybody else.

MARCHING ORDERS

Have been issued to the following goods.

Ready-Made Dress Skirts,

Made of good material, best workmanship, good linings, not many left, but they have been marked to make them move quickly.

Men's Fancy Shirts.

We announced an extraordinary purchase of Fancy Shirts. The people have responded. You see, the price has made them sell.

38c, 48c, 58c, 63c, 69c.

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Pique Cord Skirting.

Three pieces plain white with up and down cord, 20c, 25c and 35c a yard. Also one piece with small figure woven in, very neat effect, 25c yard.

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Extra Ribbons in variety of shades, Plain Satin, Double Faced Satin and Moire.

See our Plaid Baby Ribbons for edging ruffles on Organdies.

Opp. P. O. **MARTING BROS. & CO.** Opp. P. O.

SERIOUS FIRE.

Office of the Toledo Blade Is Rather Badly Damaged.

Toledo, O., May 21.—A fire broke out in the grinding room of the coffee department in the Dow and Snell Company's wholesale grocery building. The Blade Publishing Company's building and the newspaper plant had a close call. The sterotype foundry, the editorial rooms and the press room were flooded with water, making it impossible to operate the plant for a week or two. The Dow-Snell stock of groceries and coffee is a total loss and estimated at $300,000. Insurance of the stock and fixtures amounts to $245,000. The building is estimated to be worth $50,000, with $40,000 insurance. The Blade newspaper plant and building is damaged to the extent of about $4,000. The burned building was built by the late D. R. Locke ("Nasby").

At 1 a. m. the east wall of the burning Dow-Snell building fell with a terrific crash, carrying Assistant Chief Mayo and Firemen Herman L. Bishop, Kiser Trepinski and — Wills with it. Mayo escaped but the three firemen are missing and are supposed to be buried under the debris. The men were among the oldest of the department.

Suicided by Shooting.

Blanchester, O., May 21. — Joel Haynes, 35, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart. His wife and children were present when the deed was committed.

Where the Money Went.

Millersburg, O., May 21.—An expert accountant has discovered that officials of Holmes county have illegally drawn nearly $15,000 from the county in the last 10 years.

Pomeroy Man Appointed.

Washington, May 21.—James H. Hysell of Pomeroy, O., was appointed a chief surgeon, with the rank of major.

Took the Rope Route.

Mansfield, O., May 21.—Jacob Hine had trouble with his wife and then suicided by hanging.

Explosion In a Projectile Factory.

Carthage, N. A., Spain, May 20.—An explosion occurred at the Chateau San Julian. It is supposed to have taken place in a projectile factory. Five soldiers and five workmen were killed outright and 62 persons severely injured, among them the governor of the port. The explosion was accidental.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, May 21.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $205,273,973; gold reserve, $174,624,925.

Twenty Business Houses Burned.

Kewaunee, Wis., May 21.—Twenty business houses, the best portion of the town, have been destroyed by fire. Loss $[illegible]; insurance small.

Thinks They Are Impregnable.

Havana, May 21.—The Spanish officers say all the strategetic points about the coast have been occupied by troops and that it will be difficult to effect landings. Ambuscades have also been prepared at various points and they say Havana is so well fortified that an army of 50,000 men will be needed to reduce the place. New entrenchments have been thrown up and more heavy artillery has been mounted, but it is difficult to obtain any accurate details of such work.

Can Not Be Deferred Long.

Madrid, May 21.—It is believed here that a conflict between the American warships and Admiral Cervera's fleet can not be deferred long. The new Spanish cabinet desires to force the war to an issue, it is said, with a view to evoking intervention by the European powers as quickly as possible. The economic situation of Spain is known to be desperate.

Couldn't "Work" the Kaiser.

Madrid, May 21.—Emperor William's silence has caused intense disappointment here. It had been expected that his speech at Altona would declare in favor of an European coalition against Anglo-Saxons, or at least against an American invasion of Spanish colonies. Now the press is falling back on the assistance of Russia or France.

The Kaiser Will Wait.

Madrid, May 21.—In official circles here it is believed that Emperor William will not for the moment answer Mr. Joseph Chamberlain's uterances, but will wait for a better opportunity for doing so. Why this purpose of the kaiser should be known here earlier than in any other European capital is something of a mystery.

Begging For Intervention.

Madrid, May 21.—A continental alliance for Spain or intervention to stop the war is now the joint aim of Premier Sagasta, of Ambassador Leon y Castillo at Paris and of the court at Madrid. The new cabinet is regarded as a makeshift and only temporary. Only an alliance or intervention could firmly establish it.

Will Defend Manilla.

Madrid, May 21.—Governor General Augusti has reaffirmed that he will distribute every rifle and cartridge he possesses and defend Manilla to the last.

Still at Fort de France.

St. Pierre, Martinique, May 21.—The Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror and the hospital ship Alicante are still at Fort de France. There has been no change in the situation.

Spanish Squadron Departs.

Madrid, May 21.—It is asserted that Admiral Cervera's squadron has left Santiago de Cuba, probably for Cienfuegos or Havana.

There is a Time and Place for Everything.

Th ere i a Time to Paint

If your house is looking a little bit shabby or weatherbeaten and is beginning to decrease in value, then that time is now.

There is a Place to buy Paint

It is our store, because we have the Queen Bee Mixed Paint at $1.20 per gallon. One gallon covers 250 square feet two coats. Come in and see our beautiful color cards.

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40c and 50c Waist Sets Go at **19c** a set.

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15c and 25c Waist Studs Go at **10c** a set.

15c and 25c Cuff Buttons Go at **10c** a set.

5 doz. Leather Belts Go at **9c** each

5 doz. Fancy Silk String Ties Go at **9c** each.

50c Silk Fringe Scarfs Go at **39c** each.

Don't Forget

That we have everything you want in Challie, Dimity, Organdy, Ginghams, Laces, Embroideries and Ribbons at lowest prices.

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THE RIVALRY

Between Three Cities Puts New Life into Base Ball.

Chillicothe and Ironton to Have Clubs—Dick Smith a Gem—"Dude" Blake a Wonder.

The rivalry that exists between Chillicothe, Ironton and Portsmouth is a good thing for base ball.

It puts life into the game. It adds ginger. It makes things warm, sends the mercury of enthusiasm up to fever heat.

Both Chillicothe and Ironton are to have clubs. In the former city James Cahill, perfect little gentleman, a splendid fellow, just suited for the work, will organize and equip a nine. It can be depended on that Chillicothe will be represented by a strong aggregation for Mr. Cahill does nothing by halves. He will have the best or none at all.

At Ironton it is not definitely settled who will be the commander of the forces. Some say a Mr. Hughes. Dick Pritchard would make a good man to lead the boys of the Iron City. He is popular everywhere and a thoroughbred sport. If Sir Richard should take hold Ironton would have as strong a team as any of them and across their breasts in big, bold letters would run, "Twenty-one for Johnson." At any rate Ironton will have a team and it will be a crackerjack.

Dick Smith, of Ironton, is now with the Cedar Rapids, Mich., team, but when Ironton gets ready for the fray he'll return home and don Iron City colors. He is pitching great ball for the Cedar Rapids club. In one game with Rock Island Dick let them down with five hits, had a three-base hit, one run, one put-out and three assists to his credit. In a game with Peoria, the team for which Harry Truby is covering second base, Smith gave Peoria only six hits and fielded his game in faultless style, making nine assists without an error. At the bat he made two hits and two runs. Dick is proving an enigma for the Western association hitters, a fact which his Portsmouth and Ironton friends will learn with considerable satisfaction.

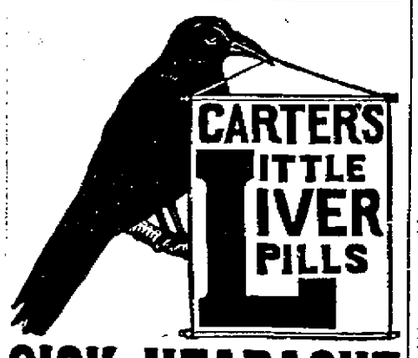
"Dude" Blade is a little wonder. He is of great value to the Cleveland team. They wouldn't part with his services at any price. Love nor money can never get the "Dude" from Patsy Tebeau so long as he keeps up his present pace. The Chicago News the other day said this: "Blake is one of the best all-around players on the Cleveland team. With Tebeau out of the game, he handles the first base with any of them. His forte is the foul balls around the bag, his outfielding practice standing him in good stead on these treacherous twisters." He must have a constituency in Chicago. A large basket of flowers was handed out to him while he was at bat Sunday. The other day Captain Tebeau said: "If anything should happen to Criger, I would put Blake in to catch. He is a splendid catcher and a grand thrower to bases. In fact Harry can play any position except second, short and third."

The P. C. C. club of this city will be heard from this season in no uncertain way. Last season they were all the money. They organized almost at the close of the season, playing six games and winning five of them. They have the mettle in them to defeat the most of minor-professional nines. This year they begin right on time. They have secured new uniforms. The waist and trousers are blue, with white lettering (P. C. C.) across the breast. Their stockings are orange and black and the caps blue.

Zottman Bros.' new American Steam laundry is turning out some remarkably fine work. If you want to be up-to-date, call up 2 or 87 and leave your order. 20-2t

An Interesting Meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. M. E. church held an interesting meeting at the residence of Mrs. Sarah Peters, on West Seventh street, last night. Luncheon was served after the meeting.



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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

EAST END NOTES.

Dave Sickles went fishing. So has many another man, but not all have the luck that Dave had. He had been sitting patiently waiting for a bite until the back of his neck was a dusky brown, without result, when suddenly there came a mighty tug at the line that caused trouble, and it was the suddenness that brought on all the trouble, for Dave was caught off his guard, and instead of pulling the fish he was pulled into the water. The boys helped him out then and went after the fish, but the fish proved to be only a big piece of drift, and Dave is still saying Sunday school words.

John Brisker, one of the members of the Earlytown school board, says that the school will have to be enlarged sure now. It is a bouncing big girl and John is correspondingly happy.

Cage Coburn, the grocer at the corner of Gallia and Young streets, wants to sell out, not only his stock of goods, but residence and two other houses and lots adjoining. Will sell cheap.

Mr. Cunningham, of High street, Lawson Heights, wanted water, and wanted it bad, so he is piping it about four hundred feet from the main and is going to have it.

Some two months ago Harsha & Caskey had more flour on hand than they could well store and were complaining of the apparently slow sales. But now they are hugging themselves on account of that same flower, for they have unloaded it at a pretty figure and can't make it fast enough for orders.

'Squire Cole has his ice cream parlor fixed up now and will soon be seen behind the counter dishing out ice cream, soda and other soft drinks in fine shape.

Chaney & Co. are loading two more cars of chestnut ties from the Horr switch, in Earlytown. The ties are gotten out by Conley and Wear.

RAPIDLY

Tickets for the Kindergarten Musicale Are Being Sold.

The tickets for the entertainment to be given for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten are being sold rapidly and there is every indication that a big crowd will be present. This entertainment will be in charge of Prof. Frost and will be given Thursday evening, May 26th. The best musical talent of the city will assist.

In the near future Prof. Frost will repeat the entertainment in Ironton, giving amoonlight excursion from this city.

COMING BACK.

Hypnotist Santanelli Will Soon Be in Portsmouth.

Santanell, the hypnotist, who toured this section of the state several years ago, is coming back again. He will be in Chillicothe all next week and from there will come to Portsmouth, although he may not show here now. He has improved a great deal since his last appearance in Portsmouth. At one time he was taken in hand by the New York Journal and gave a series of entertainments.

Wall paper—no old stock—no antiquated patterns. Everything new and up to-date. Lowest prices on earth. O. D. Foster & Co., 52 West Second street. 2-tf

Died in St. Louis.

A telegram received yesterday by George Emmett stated that Joseph Emmett had died in St. Louis. Deceased was about twenty-six years of age. He formerly worked in the Portsmouth Stove and Range works here and has many acquaintances who regret his death. The remains will be brought to this city Monday and taken to Harrison township for interment.

Zottman Bros. make promptness a specialty, and this, together with their excellent work, is what pleases. Call up 2 on 87, and in a very short time your order will be given the best attention.

May Party.

The rector of All Saints has been planning for some time to give a May party for the children of his church, and he has decided upon Saturday, May 28th, for the day. The children have chosen their queen and have learned their cantata, which they will sing upon this occasion.

Persons who have used our ice cream say it is the best flavored in the city. REEG & RAIKE, Proprietors Dainty Soda Parlor.

Choice trouserings at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

The Lost Found.

The little child of Dick Donaldson, reported to the police department as lost, was found by Officer Stokley in the East End, near Hornung's planing mill and returned to its home at Sixteenth and Chillicothe streets.

Stahler Bros. are leading the carriage trade. Sales back it up. 16-6t

When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, consitpation; invigorates the whole system.

Headache Quickly Cured.

Dr. Davis' Anti-Headache never fails, 25c.

THE OHIO TROOPS

Placed In the First Provisional Army Corps.

PIPE STORIES BEING SENT OUT.

They Were Evolved From Brains Disordered by the Use of Liquor, Cigarettes and Other Vices—A Member of a New York company Dies of Heart Trouble While Marching to Camp.

Chickamauga National Park, Ga., May 21.—The First provisional army corps, United States volunteers, has been completed by General Brooke. Ohio troops are placed in it as follows:

First division—First brigade, First infantry, Colonel Hunt; Second brigade, Fourth infantry, Colonel Coti.

Second division — Second brigade, Sixth infantry, Colonel McMakin; Second infantry, Colonel Kuert.

The story sent out from here to the effect that three men had been arrested with arsenic on their persons with which it was supposed they were to poison water used by the troops is a fake pure and simple and was evolved from the imagination of several boys who were indulging in liquor, cigarettes and other vices, and who are here as alleged correspondents of certain newspapers.

Frank McReady of Company D, Twelfth New York, died from heart failure while on the march from Rossville to the camp ground in the park. The remains will be sent to New York city for interment.

Ohioan Wounded at Manilla.

Canal Dover, O., May 21.—Mrs. Ellsworth Farmer, who lives near Cadwallader, has received word that her brother, Ensign Noble Edward Irwin, was among the wounded at the battle of Manilla under command of Commodore Dewey. Young Irwin was ensign on the gunboat Baltimore

She Lost Both.

Chillicothe, O., May 21.—Mrs. Amanda Freshour of Summit Hill claims to have been buncoed out of all her savings by Mark Hooker, who promised to marry her, but refused to do so after getting her money.

Rubber Works Burned.

New Philadelphia, O., May 21.—The Valley Rubber company's works of this city were destroyed by fire. The plant was valued at $13,000 and has been in operation ever since Jan. 1. Insurance, $4,500.

A TRUE STORY

Of a Despairing Woman Who Was Cured of Catarrh by Pe-ru-na.

What person is there that does not enjoy a good "true story?" What invalid is there in the world who is suffering with catarrh that would not like to hear of a true case of catarrh cured? Not a make-believe, but a true story of a despairing woman that was entirely and permanently cured,

after years of misery. The following is the story of Mrs Susan L. McNeill, Pine Level, Ark., in her own words: "I was afflicted with chronic catarrh, which had been working on me for fifteen years. I took medicine from the doctor, but I gradually grew worse. I tried cough medicines of different kinds, but it was only temporary relief that they gave. I also took other medicines, but they did no good. I suffered a great deal with pain in side and breast whenever I took cold, which I did very easily. I was troubled with neuralgia, nervousness, headache, besides having sore throat and bad cough. I suffered so much that I despaired of getting any relief. Through an advertisement I learned of Pe-ru-na. The first bottle did me so much good I thought it was worth more than all the medicines that I had ever taken. My health kept improving until I got well. I am able to do all of my housework. I have no headache now, no matter how hard I work; no nervousness to keep me from sleeping."

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Music on the Graphophone.

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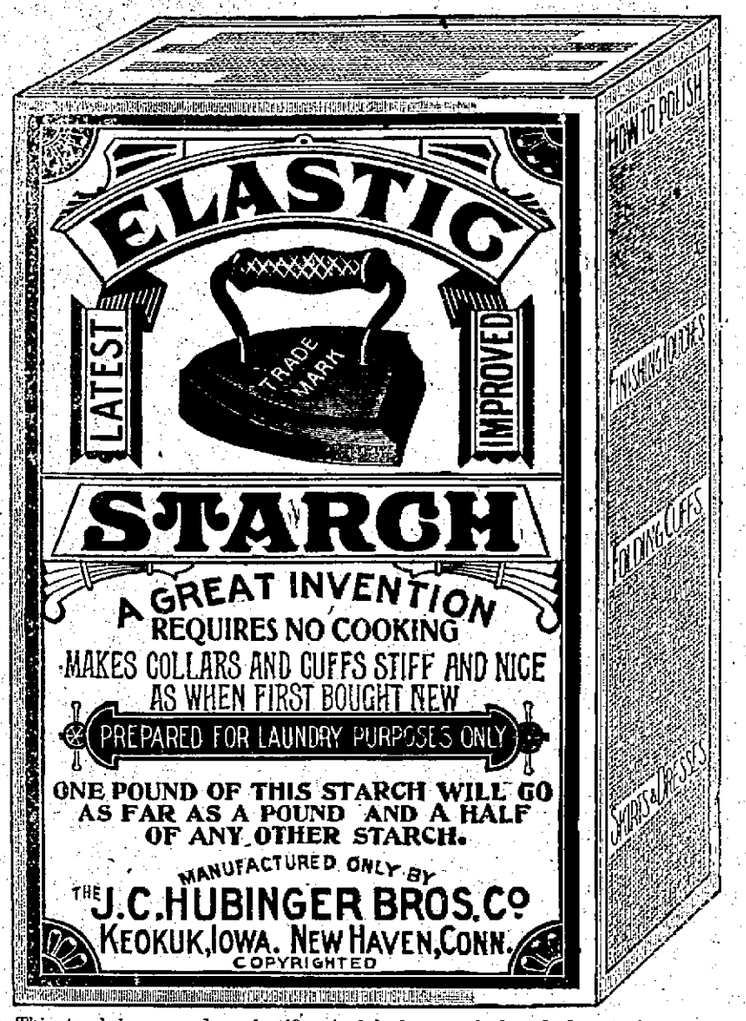

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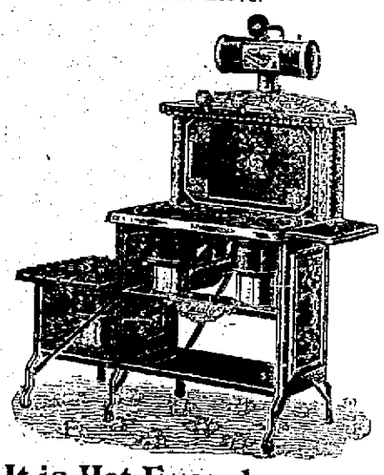
The old cook stove out and put in a new Gasoline Stove.



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Effective March 27, 1898.

Lve. Portsmouth.	Ar. Cincinnati.
*6:00 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
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HE CERTAINLY KNOWS THIS.

If He Does Not He Will Be Trapped In Short Order.

AID GOING TO ADMIRAL DEWEY.

The Advance Guard Will Leave San Francisco at Once.

THERS WILL FOLLOW CLOSELY.

Montreal Reports That Senor Polo Had Secured For Spain a Coaling Station on One of the French Islands off the Newfoundland Coast Are Treated With Indignant Contempt at the French Embassy, and American Officials Are Inclined to Discredit the Stories—The Hamburg-American Liner Polaria Declined to Go to Havana With Restrictions Placed Upon Her.

Washington, May 21.—The sum of the news given out by the navy department Friday was that the department had apparently authentic information to the effect that Admiral Cervera with the Spanish squadron was at Santiago de Cuba.

Accepting this statement as correct it indicates that there is little probability of a hostile meeting between Sampson or Schley and Cervera immediately.

Looking over the charts of Santiago harbor the experts discovered that the place would be a veritable rat trap for the Spaniards, with its narrow entrance, in which a single American monitor could bottle up the whole Spanish fleet.

Preparations go on steadily for the Philippines military expedition. Another transport was secured, and the department is showing a disposition to treat General Merritt with the utmost liberality in the equipment of his force.

It is expected that the advance guard on one vessel, under the command of General Otis, will sail out of the Golden Gate at once bound for the Philippines.

The complaints of the shoeless among the volunteers just brought into the army will soon be silenced, as the department has placed orders for 200,000 pairs of soldiers' shoes.

The state department announced that the Polaria, the Hamburg-American line steamer at Key West, which was authorized to land certain passengers in Havana, had declined to avail itself of the privilege, so the department is relieved of what promised to be an embarrassing incident and of the necessity of establishing what might prove to be a dangerous precedent.

Officials here dismiss as pure invention the story coming from Montreal that former Minister Polo has succeeded in securing for Spain a coaling station on one of the French islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, off the Newfoundland coast. At the French embassy the report is treated with indignant contempt, as the French decree of neutrality is binding on the French governor of these islands and effectually revents the granting of such exceptional privileges as coaling stations.

Wants More Money.

Washington, May 21.—Secretary Alger has sent to the secretary of the treasury for transmission to congress supplemental estimates of appropriations aggregating $88,638,840, required by the war department for the support of the regular and volunteer armies of the United States for the first six months of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1899, in addition to the amounts appropriated in the acts of March 15 and May 4, 1898.

More Ammunition Found.

Key West, May 21.—Over 40 cases of amunition were found on the Spanish steamer Argonauta, captured during the first days of the war. It was on board this steamer that Lieutenant Colonel Cortijo, Weyler's brother-in-law, was captured with other Spanish soldiers, now prisoners in Fort McPherson, Atlanta.

They Are Badly Rattled.

La Palmas, Canary Islands, May 21.—The Spanish torpedo boats Ariete, Azor and Rayo, together with the armored transport San Fran, arrived May 7 from the Cape Verde Islands. It is reported that the armament of the latter two has been increased recently. The Rayo is said to be badly in need of repairs.

Senor Polo Departs.

Montreal, May 21.—Senor Polo de Bernabe and his suite went on board the Dominion line steamship Dominion at a late hour Friday night. The ship sailed early in the morning. The senor refused to talk with reporters.

Will Not Change the Status.

Key West, May 21.—The discovery of the war supplies on board the Argonauta will not change the status of her case before the prize court, as it had been decided, before learning of the find, that the steamer was legitimately a prize of war, no claims having been filed by the owners of the ship or cargo. A like decision was rendered in the cases of the steamer Ambrosia Bolivar and the schooners Candidita, Mathilda and Sophia.

FROM PORTO RICO.

Several Passengers Have Arrived With Rather Interesting Stories.

New York, May 21.—Among the passengers of the Quebec steamship line steamer Pretoria, which arrived from St. Thomas and other West Indian ports, was Captain Jose Perez, formerly a captain of the Spanish army, and now on his way to join the insurgents of Cuba, with whom he had already enlisted.

Mr. Delvalle, the former United States vice consul, was also a passenger. He said the people of St. Thomas were immensely dissatisfied with the result of the bombardment of San Juan.

Other passengers were Louis and Edward Azcaraga, nephews of General Azcaraga, ex-minister of war under Canovas, but who nevertheless are fugitives from Spanish dominion, together with their families, because of their Cuban sympathy.

Another passenger, who said he was a sugar planter and left his wife, six children and considerable property interests in Porto Rico, who was also an American citizen but who wished his name withheld for fear of harm to his family and property, said that all the people of Porto Rico were anxious for annexation with the United States; that Spanish rule was one of terrible oppression; people were hung up and whipped to obtain confessions from them of war against Spain.

There are 300 people confined in prison, among them several ladies, on suspicion only of rebellion. The whole island is under martial law and the people are simply groaning under it.

No Match For Sampson or Schley.

Detroit, May 21.—Hon. Thomas W. Palmer, ex-minister to Spain, in an interview said he did not consider Spain's navy at all formidable. Mr. Palmer said he thought Admiral Cervera's squadron was no match for either of the squadrons commanded by Sampson and Schley. In regard to Spain's seacoast fortifications he said that while minister to Spain he inspected the fortifications at Cadiz, and expressed the opinion that four 13-inch projectiles would completely shatter them.

"The American Boy."

Circleville, O., May 21.—The public schools of this city raised $45.66 to add to the fund for the purpose of building a new battleship, "The American Boy," to take the place of the ill-fated Maine. The money was forwarded to Cincinnati, where the originators of the movement have headquarters.

Walked Into a Trap.

London, May 21.—The Daily Chronicle thinks Admiral Cervera has walked into a trap from which he cannot escape, and adds: "As to hinted negotiations by Spain with the powers, the best answer to them would be an American victory, which we hope to record Monday or Tuesday."

Very Significant Event.

Tampa, Fla., May 21.—An English warship is expected to arrive in Tampa harbor on May 24, the anniversary of Victoria's birthday, and the event will be celebrated by a banquet that will be notable for the number of military and naval celebrities who will be present.

Saw a Torpedo Boat.

Block Island, R. I., May 21.—While the auxiliary cruiser Yankee was practicing off the island a small black torpedo boat was sighted signalling to the Yankee. The cruiser at once started at full speed southward and the torpedo boat turned towards Newport.

Have Not Gone Into Camp.

Washingon, May 21.—The Seventh Ohio, the First New Jersey and the Ninth battalion of Ohio, are at Dunn Loring, the railroad station near camp Alger, but have not gone into camp, because their baggage and equipment have not arrived.

Four Children Drowned.

New Martinsville, W. Va., May 21.—A party of nine children attempted to cross Fishing creek in a "johnboat." It capsized and all were thrown into the water. A son and daughter of Oliver Cochran, a son of Henry King and a son of Henry Richmond were drowned.

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TERRIBLE VOICE HEARD NEARBY.

Roar of the British Lion Has Caused Them to Shudder.

NONE OF THEM NOW LOVE SPAIN.

France, Germany and Austria Have All Been Brought to Their Senses and They Are Now Falling Over Each Other to Whisper In McKinley's Ear Their Undying Love For the United States and Their Hatred For the Dons. Each of Them Assisted Spain Almost to the Parting of the Ways Before They Discovered That the Road They Were Traveling Was Mined—Spain Is to Be Allowed to Be Whipped to a Standstill, and Kicked Off the Earth if Uncle Sam So Desires.

Madrid, May 21.—In her despair Spain is making herself the laughing stock of the world.

She is persistent in her efforts to create an impression that she has a powerful ally awaiting her beck and call.

It does not seem to have occurred to her that other governments are posted on what is transpiring in the world.

France, Austria and Germany have materially aided Spain, but since the speech of Joseph Chamberlain was delivered they have been falling over each other to declare their friendship for the United States.

These countries would turn over their navies to Spain if they dared do so—France and Austria because of religious affinity and other causes, and Germany because of hatred for America—but England has called a sudden halt.

France is worried more than any other nation because she knows England is on the point of giving her a sound thrashing.

There is but one conclusion to be drawn from the present state of affairs, and that is that the European powers, to save themselves, have concluded to let Spain be whipped to a standstill and get out of the trouble the best way she can.

Indications are that there will be very little left of her when the United States is through with her.

Appeared In Full Uniform.

Madrid, May 21.—The ministers, in full uniform, appeared in the senate. Owing to the circumstances the new cabinet is already nicknamed the "circumstantial cabinet." The premier, Senor Sagasta, explained the ministerial crisis, and asserted that the new ministry will continue the policy of the former ministry. He related how "Spain did everything to avoid war until America, violating all recognized diplomacy, attacked Spain with an injustice unprecedented in the annals of civilized history, and compelled Spain to respond with war to war, which Spain would continue until an honorable peace is obtainable."

Dangerously Near Trouble.

Vienna, May 21.—The apparently superfluous expression of Austria's neutrality in the present war was prompted at the eleventh hour by a desire to counterbalance the effect of her sympathy with Spain abroad and particularly in the United States where thousands of Austrian subjects might be seriously prejudiced. There is no doubt, in spite of statements to the contrary, that religious affinities and family ties led Austria dangerously near the brink dividing strict neutrality from partisanship.

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THE WAR CLOUDS

No Longer Have Any Terror For the American Business Man.

New York, May 21.—According to Dun's review the people, growing accustomed to war possibilities, which are mostly far from probabilities of evil, and finding the nation moving along steadily in its industries, are grasping the idea that it is throwing away some months of active and profitable time to wait until the war clouds have passed. Western prosperity has so greatly overbalanced timidity of eastern capital that the actual business done increases.

The key of the situation is the prosperity of the west which altogether unprecedented marketing of breadstuffs has caused, with the prospects of good crops to come.

Failures for the week have been 250 in the United States against 240 last year, and 29 against 37 in Canada last year.

Russia Is Hostile.

St. Petersburg, May 21.—The public and the press here are evincing great interest in the future of the Philippine Islands. Much hostility is manifested toward any scheme by which the United States, Great Britain or Germany, individually or jointly, are to have possession of the islands, and some of the newspapers urge the Russian government to endeavor to obtain from Spain a lease of some of the Philippine Islands in order that they may serve as a Russian base in the Pacific.

To Be Guided by Circumstances.

Madrid, May 21.—Lieutenant General Correa, minister of war, says nothing definite has been decided upon with respect to the expedition to the Philippines. The government will be guided by circumstances.

The human machine starts but once and stops but once. You can keep it going longest and most regularly by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation and all stomach and liver troubles. Fisher Bros., Wurster Bros.

To Cleveland and Return.

Via C. A. & C. railway, Sunday, May 22, 1898. Special train leaves Columbus union station at 7 a. m., stopping only at principal stations. Rate is $1.50 from Columbus, $1.00 from Mt. Vernon, and correspondingly low rates from intermediate points. Returning, special train will leave Cleveland union station at 6 p. m. Elegant parlor car and baggage car for wheels (checked free). For all particulars call on or address any C. A. & C. agent, or

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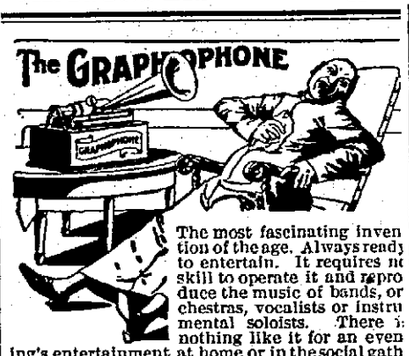

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IN THE LEG

A Beattyville Citizen Named Price Was Shot

Last Evening—Alf Zuhars Was Monkeying With a Revolver When It Was Discharged.

There was a serious accidental shooting at Beattyville, Ky., last night, as the result of which a gentleman named Price is liable to lose his leg.

Price, Alf. Zuhars and others were gathered at the Beattyville store, talking over the war and other news. Zuhars had his revolver in his pocket and attempted to pull it out for some purpose, when the weapon was accidentally discharged. The ball struck Price in the left leg, a few inches above the ankle. Price was brought over to the office of Dr. Titus this morning and an attempt was made to remove the ball. The ball was so imbedded in the bone of the leg that the physician decided not to remove it today. Another attempt will be made tomorrow. Price suffers great pain, and it is feared that blood-poisoning may set in and make it necessary to amputate the leg.

GOVERNMENT OFFICER

Was in the City Today to Attend the Hearing of Gibson.

Deputy United States Marshal Heher was in the city today from Cincinnati. He came up to be present at the hearing of Counterfeiter Gibson, which had been set for Mayor Glidden's court at 9 o'clock. The officials suspected that Heher had a card up his sleeve and would try to nab the prisoner and take him before a United States court and accordingly the hearing was postponed.

Mr. Heher was much disappointed, but remarked that he guessed he would have to wait until Monday and see the thing out. He said he just wanted to hear the evidence against Gibson.

Cameras.

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Organ Recital.

On Tuesday evening next, at 7:30 o'clock, an organ recital will be given in All Saints church by Mrs. Maddock, assisted by the best local talent and the vested choir of the church. The admission will be free, but a silver offering will be asked from each one for the benefit of the choir fund.

Assignee's Sale.

Am closing out the entire stock of C. S. Cadot, consisting of stoves, tinware, etc., at private sale.
25-tf JOHN R. HUGHES, Assignee.

Taken to the Asylum.

Deputy Sheriff Gustin took Herbert Ellison to the Athens asylum. "Punch" contended that he was not half as crazy as "Dude" Rickey, and that there were several of the court house officials who should have been sent to the asylum instead of him.

A Watch Ruined.

By poor repairing. It often happens. Avoid such results. E. Lee Feyler, of 81 West Second, will repair yours right.

Weston Corson Much Improved.

The many friends of Weston Corson, who has been quite seriously ill for six weeks, will be glad to know that he is now rapidly improving and that he was able to enjoy a short drive yesterday afternoon.

Soda water that is fine and cigars that are famous, at The Dainty Soda Parlor.

The A. O. U. W. Picnic.

The members of the A. O. U. W. are exerting themselves to make their excursion and picnic at Glen Hunt Decoration Day a success. They will entertain those who may desire to attend in a royal manner. Prof. Joe Dupere will be on hands with a fine orchestra.

A big line of couches and bed lounges, all styles, designs and prices, at J. B. Nicholes, Jr. & Bro. 19-3

A Flying Visit.

Will Puckett, formerly conductor on the street railroad, is now working in the L. & N. shops in Cincinnati. He spent yesterday with friends here, returning today.

We are sole agents for the Eastman Camera, the only kodak made. Catalogue for the asking.
W. W. REILLY & CO.
21-3t

To Invoice Monday.

The Brushart stock of groceries will be invoiced Monday and the new firm of Wertz & Wilhelm will be ready for business Tuesday.

Book-cases, buffets and china closets very cheap at Fuller Bros.

Home for Two Months.

Tom. Denning is home for two months He has been on the road for an Indiana furniture house.

Turtle soup at Findeis' tonight.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio.—Showers tonight and Sunday.

A Lover of Base Ball.

Ed. Thomas, of Delaware, is visiting his brother, Charles Thomas, of the New Boston heel factory. He will put in some of the time on the Thomas farm near Lucasville. He is a great lover of base ball and used to play himself, being in the Delaware nine when Nops, Baltimore's famous pitcher, and Billy Damarin, late of the Cincinnati Reds, played there.

MEMORIAL DAY

Services at Pond Creek—Also a Celebration of Dewey's Victory.

Memorial services will be held at the Pond Creek Baptist church Sunday, May 29th. Rev. J. C. Hackworth will preach the memorial sermon. On Memorial day the churches of Careys' Run, Bear Creek Flats and Pond Creek will unite and spend the day at Pond Creek church, honoring the heroes of '61 and '65 and those who met death on the Maine, also celebrating the glorious victory of Dewey at Manila. The church and grounds will be decorated, good music will be furnished and patriotic addresses will be delivered by good speakers.

THEIR HEADQUARTERS.

The Inman Bros. Locate in This City to Carry on an Insurance Agency.

J. W. Inman has completed arrangements for the establishment here of the headquarters for the general agency in Southern Ohio of the John Hancock Life Insurance Co.

He and his brother, W. A. Inman, now in Lebanon, but who will be here in a few days, will have charge of the headquarters, which will be located in the Elk building, room No. 2. These gentlemen come highly recommended and the Times and the people of Portsmouth bid them welcome.

"When We Smile the World Smiles."

Net because we are more jolly than other dealers, but because our prices make our customers jolly. As the search-light pierces the darkness of night, so our low prices and Perfection Spectacles dispel the gloom of these trying war times and wonderfully illuminate the great bargains we offer for your comfort and need. The pleasure is ours; the profit is yours. C. H. HARRIS,
19-tf 217 Chillicothe street.

A Frog Supper.

Henry Klingman and Frank Duduit went a-froggin' a few nights ago and made a splendid catch, coming in with a string of big fellows. They presented Dave Stahler with a few of the frogs and last evening Stahler entertained H. F. Thompson and J. L. Patterson at Freshel's. The frogs were "done up" in fine stlye, both by Freshel's cook and the guests and all concerned consider themselves under obligations to Klingman and Duduit.

No Experiment.

H. W. Johns' liquid paint, composed of pure white lead, zinc and linseed oil, has given perfect satisfaction for twenty years.
16-6t FISHER & STREICH.

Run Over by a Hand Car.

Dick Donaldson, residing at the corner of Chillicothe and Sixteenth streets, and employed as a section hand on the N. & W. railroad, fell off a hand-car at Davis Station yesterday and was run over. His left hand was mashed and a big gash cut in his right knee.

STRAWS! STRAWS!

Jones, the hatter, has the most complete line in the city.

Not So Well.

The friends of Fred Tynes will regret to learn that there has been a slight change for the worse in his condition. Fred is one of the most popular young men in the city and his numerous friends hope for his speedy recovery.

For first-class work and promptness in gas and steam fitting, go to Chas. P. Stamm, 213 Market street. Telephone No. 283. 9-tf

Hearing Postponed.

The counterfeiter Gibson did not have his preliminary hearing before Mayor Glidden this morning, as originally intended. Prosecutor Bannon was busy and the hearing was postponed until Monday monring at 9 o'clock.

Edw. E. Coriell, Jeweler, 112 Chillicothe street. 19-3t

A Small House Party.

Misses Virginia Jones and Emma Drouilleard are the guests of Miss Jessie Thompson at her Kentucky home. Misses Mattie and Anna Padan joined them today and the quartette will remain as Miss Thompson's guests over Sunday.

Folding screens at Fuller Bros., very cheap. 19-3t

Seriously Sick.

Joe Kountz, a well known young First ward resident, is seriously ill with the measles. He suffered a relapse.

Choice trouserings at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

The Rush

For Those

Damaged Fire Sale Goods

Has Been Immense.

We have not actually had time to write a descriptive advertisement of the goods. The people have poured in on us. The 2c calico is all gone. The 3c calico is melting away fast; still a nice assortment of light colors. We have a good supply today of 3c muslins in bleached and brown, and very heavy fine qualities in muslins at 3½c, 4c and 5c. Also plenty of the outing flannels at 3c, 5c and 7c. A lot of 10c shirtings for 7c a yard. Also wide sheeting at 10c, 12½c and 15c—all under the regular price. Then those yard wide percales at 6¼c we have a good assortment of in both light and dark colors. Some lively selling is being done in fine lawns at 7c, 8⅓c and 10c a yard. Men's and boys negligee shirts at 39c. Summer underwear for men, women and children. You can afford to change often when vests are only 3c each. Then ask to see those lawns and challies at 4c a yard. Some good things in hosiery, tickings, canton flannels, etc.

☞Lots of other bargains.

G. W.

ANDERSON & SONS,

Second and Court Sts.

To The Victor Belong the Spoils.

The war announcement of last week on High Prices resulted in a signal victory, both to our customers and to ourselves. Like Admiral Dewey we captured the trade. To keep up the fusilade we have mustered in great re-inforcements for this week and the complete surrender is assured.

A Regiment of Shirt Waists

Go to the front this week in the following order:

Co. A—Percale Volunteers armed with the latest improved blouse fronts for 50c.

Co. B—Dimity and Madras Volunteers armed with all the modern arms that could hit the dollar mark anywhere for only 75c.

Co. C, D and E are the pride of the regiment and have been admired mostly by the ladies, and are worth from $1.25 to $1.75. Your choice this week for 98c.

It's Crash Suits and Skirts

We speak of now. We have them in Linens, P. K.'s and Fancy Ducks, from the cheapest to the best. Come and see them.

PARISIAN

Cloak and Dry Goods Co.,

75 West Second Street.

DEWEY

"Got there" with his fleet. We are getting there by offering GOOD SHOES that FIT the feet at CORRECT prices. Our Tan Shoes and Oxfords for Men and women are exquisite in style, perfect in fit and correct in price.

FOR SUNDAY

Have your boys and girls wear our stylish footwear. They are beauties. Straw Hats for all the people. Men's Furnishings in all grades.

Chas. Winter,

509 Chillicothe St. Opp. Post Office.

Ready Made Clothing.

Suits For Men and Boys

We want every careful dresser to see them. They come in Velour Plaids, Fancy and Plain Worsteds, and Worsted Cheviots, all made up in a faultless manner and the prices are reasonable at $8.00, $10.00, $12.00 and $14.00.

Come in and Try Them On.

urt, Pride & Hall,

Clothiers, Tailors, Furnishers and Hatters,

103 West Second Street, near Court. Phone 774.

Opening Sale

—OF—

Wash Goods.

The newest and latest styles at Prices Lower than the Lowest.

Colored Lawns, the most beautiful styles in fancy Plaids, Figures and Striped, fast colors, worth 7½c, at 5c yd.

Dimities, splendid quality in fancy colored and checked Dimities, fast colors at 7c, 8c, 9c and 10c yard.

Organdies in checked, striped and figured, beautiful assortment of figures, at 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c and 25c yd.

Marine Duck, the correct material for Ladies' Dress Skirts, in black, tan, white and navy striped, fast colors, worth 15c. at 10c a yard.

Plain White Organdies at 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 29c and 35c yd.

Plain white India Linens, extra fine and Sheer qualities, special prices at 5c, 8½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c and 20c yd.

Special sale of Black Dress Goods for skirts at 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 22c, 25c, 29c, 35c, 40c and 50c yd.

Shirt Waist Sets.

New line Jewel Shirt Waist Sets in gold and silver at 10c set.

New line Pearl Shirt Waist Sets at 20c a set.

New line of Jewel Shirt Waist Sets at 25c a set.

New line of Pearl Shirt Waist Sets at 25c a set.

Full line of Baby Pins in gold and silver at 10c and 15c a set.

New line of Jewel Hat Pins, 10c quality at 5c each.

Black Silk Mitts, special prices this week, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c pr.

Leather and Jewel Belts at 10c, 15c and 25c each, all colors.

Jewel and Pearl Skirt Supporters at 5c and 10c each.

Special sale in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Curtain Scrims, Nettings and Swisses.

Lace Curtains from 39c pair upwards.

Window Shades from 10c upwards.

Curtain Scrims, big assortment, 5c yd.

Curtain Swisses at 10c yd.

Curtain Nettings at 10c yd.

Silkolines, all colors, 8½c yd.

The grandest assortment of Laces in the city will be found here this season.

Narrow Valenciennes Laces, Torchons, Point De Paris, Orientals, Point De Ireland, and fine Machine Laces, from 1c yd. upward.

Summer Corsets, all sizes, regular 50c quality at 25c.

White Parasols from 75c up.

Colored Parasols from $1.25 up.

Children's Parasols from 20c up.

Steahly Bros.,

313 Chillicothe St. - Bet. Third and Fourth.